

# MEETING MINUTE SUMMARY MILLCREEK TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING

Salt Lake County Government Center, N1100

Wednesday, June 12, 2013 4:00 p.m.

Approximate meeting length: Number of public in attendance:

Summary Prepared by: Jocelyn Walsh-Magoni

Meeting Conducted by: Commissioner

\*NOTE: Staff Reports referenced in this document can be found on the State and County websites, or from Salt Lake County Planning & Development Services.

## **ATTENDANCE**

#### **Commissioners and Staff:**

| Commissioners              | Public<br>Mtg | Business<br>Mtg | Absent | Planning Staff / DA  | Public<br>Mtg | Business<br>Mtg |
|----------------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------|----------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| John Janson – Chair        | X             | X               |        |                      |               |                 |
| Leslie Van Frank           | X             | X               |        | Spencer Sanders      | X             | X               |
| Garrett Catten             |               |                 | X      | Jocelyn Walsh-Magoni | X             | X               |
| Leslie Riddle - Vice Chair | x             | X               |        | Wendy Gurr           | X             | X               |
| Tom Stephens               | x             | х               |        | Max Johnson          | X             | X               |
| Geralyn Parker-Perkins     | X             | x               |        | Chris Preston (DA)   | X             | X               |
| Cole Shutjer (Alternate)   |               |                 | x      |                      |               |                 |
| Brandon Pace (Alternate)   |               |                 | X      |                      |               |                 |

## **PUBLIC MEETING**

Began at 4:10 p.m.

## **Conditional Uses**

NEW COMMISSIONER Ann Ober

**28327** *Continued from May 12, 2013.* Robert C. Miller is requesting Conditional Use approval for a concrete recycling operation, including the use of a rock crusher, in an M-2 zone. This request was originally approved in 1998 for 5 years as an interim use, and was later renewed (in 2003) for another 5 years. The applicant is now asking for approval to continue operation. **Location:** 4186 South Main Street. **Zone:** M-2. **Community Council:** Millcreek. **Planner:** Curtis Woodward

The applicant has withdrawn their request so the item was not heard.

**28351** *Continued from May 12, 2013.* Adam Maher is requesting Conditional Use and Preliminary Plat approval for *Millcreek 9*, a 24-unit PUD condominium development. **Location:** 3207, 3211 & 3225 South 900 East and 3212 South 945 East. **Zone:** R-M. **Community Council:** Millcreek. **Planner:** Spencer G. Sanders

**Presentation by:** Spencer Sanders **Recommendation:** Approval - see Staff Report

Spencer clarified some questions from the commissioners with regard to building height, landscaping, building code requirements, setback requirements, and the exterior look of the containers.

#### PUBLIC PORTION OF APPLICATION OPENED

**Speaker # 1:** Applicant Name: Adam Maher

Address: 3273 E Bernada Dr.

Comments: He has worked with staff to increase the open space percentage as requested by the commission. The open space does include the rooftop gardens. The gardens would most likely be limited to the tenants, but it may be difficult to regulate that. He is not aware of any other similar projects that have received approval in Utah.

There were no representatives from the Millcreek Community Council present. Per Spencer Sanders who was present at the Community Council's last meeting, the council had not received any concerns since their last meeting.

Speaker # 2: Member of the East Millcreek Community Council

Name: Blake Keithly

Address: 3682 S 2975 E., East Millcreek

Comments: He has seen similar properties overseas and believes the containers offer affordable housing and that

they are very sturdy.

There was a discussion between the commissioners and planning staff.

## PUBLIC PORTION OF APPLICATION CLOSED

**Motion:** To approve application #28351 with the following conditions, with respect to those listed in the Staff Report:

Condition #1: adopt as written.

Condition #2: the landscape setbacks adjacent to the Eastern building shall be increased on the North side to 10 feet, and an increase of 5 feet on the South side.

Condition #3: adopt as written.

Condition #4: the applicant shall provide a phasing plan to the planning commission for approval. Condition #5: the setback of the East building from the North property line shall be increased by 5 feet. Condition #6: the windows on the West side of the building on 900 E shall be a minimum of 50% windows.

Condition #7: the containers shall be refurbished so there are no dents or rust present upon completion.

Motion by: Commissioner Van Frank

2<sup>nd</sup> by: Commissioner Stephens

**Vote**: Unanimous (of commissioners present)

**28465** Breck Fullmer is requesting Conditional Use and Site Plan approval for a Gymnastics Studio.

Location: 1462, 1464, 1470 & 1522 East 3300 South. Zone: C-2 Community Council: East

Mill Creek. Planner: Spencer G. Sanders

**Presentation by:** Spencer Sanders **Recommendation:** Approval - see Staff Report

#### PUBLIC PORTION OF APPLICATION OPENED

**Speaker # 1:** Applicant Name: Breck Fullmer **Address:** 1855 E 3060 S

Comments: He would be more than doubling his parking and he planned to keep the "alley way" open for people to walk through since the neighboring residents had requested that. He feels there is ample parking that customers would be able to drop off.

**Speaker # 2:** Representative from East Millcreek Community Council

Name: LeeAnn Hanson

Address: 3507 Kirk Cir., Salt Lake City

**Comments:** The council is in favor of the application.

#### PUBLIC PORTION OF APPLICATION CLOSED

**Motion:** Approve application #28465 with the recommendations listed in the staff report, with the condition that the planning commission notes for the record that the landscaped area shown on the plans, that is south of the southernmost parking spaces isn't required for the development and may be sold or transferred to an adjacent property owner.

Motion by: Commissioner Van Frank

2<sup>nd</sup> by: Commissioner Perkins

**Vote**: Unanimous (of commissioners present)

## **PUD Subdivision**

28038 Nathan Anderson is requesting Preliminary Plat approval for Millcreek Townhomes PUD, a 14-Lot PUD Townhome Subdivision. The project received Conditional Use approval from the Planning Commission in February 2013, but the Preliminary Plat was not part of that original approval. Location: 1431 East 3900 South Zone: R-M. Community Council: Millcreek.

**Planner:** Spencer G. Sanders

Per Spencer Sanders, the applicant has requested a continuance as he is currently out of town.

**Motion:** to continue application #28038 until the July 10, 2013 meeting.

Motion by: Commissioner Riddle 2<sup>nd</sup> by: Commissioner Stephens

Vote: Unanimous in favor (of commissioners present)

## PUBLIC PORTION OF APPLICATION CLOSED

28368 Steve Davies is requesting Conditional Use and Preliminary Plat approval for <u>Creekside at Honeycut PUD</u>, an 8-lot, single-family PUD Subdivision. Location: 3548 South Honeycutt Road (1850-1860 East). Zone: R-1-10. Community Council: East Mill Creek. Planner: Spencer G. Sanders

Presentation by: Spencer Sanders Recommendation: See Staff Report

Staff is recommending a continuance of the application. The applicant has a revised plan for seven units instead of eight.

#### PUBLIC PORTION OF APPLICATION OPENED

**Speaker # 1:** Applicant **Name:** Steve Davies

Address: 1920 S 180 W, Orem, UT

**Comments:** He provided a revised plan (hard copy) to the commission. He discussed the traffic impact report noting the decline in estimated traffic going down to seven units. Width between homes has been increased, and the four parking stalls will still be maintained. He plans to have no interference in the creek. Fencing will be six foot, see-through, with brick columns across Honeycutt. He is working with the other neighboring properties for acceptable fencing.

**Speaker # 2:** Benchmark Engineering

Name: Dale Bennett

Address: 9130 S State Street, Sandy, UT

Comments: Storm water will run down the gutter on the North side to be collected at an inlet box, where it will be

treated and discharged into the creek.

**Speaker #3:** Home Builder

Name: Ed Axley

Address: 1947 S 50 W, Orem, UT

**Comments:** They would like to create a rolling curb system and paver systems from the road into the garage units. The center of the roads will be the only area with asphalt. Trash will be picked up from individual units, not via a dumpster on site.

Speaker #4: Representative from the East Millcreek Community Council

Name: LeeAnn Hanson

Address: 3507 Kirk Cir., Salt Lake City

**Comments:** They are unsure how to review an updated site plan with an opportunity for public comment. She feels the community council should have the opportunity to discuss the revised plan (from eight homes to seven) before the commission makes a decision.

Speaker # 5: Member of the East Millcreek Community Council

Name: Blake Keithly

Address: 3682 S 2175 E., East Millcreek

**Comments:** He discussed the vote that the council made at their last meeting. He stated that Ms. Hanson's comments were mainly personal opinion and not the views of the council. The development does meet density requirements so it should be considered a non-issue. He would like to see the application approved.

**Speaker #6:** Citizen **Name:** Mike Dabble **Address:** 3380 S 2130 E

**Comments:** He lives in the neighborhood and has considered purchasing one of the units within the proposed development. He feels he represents the community well.

**Speaker #7**: Citizen **Name:** Homer Warner

Address: 1804 Millbrook Road

**Comments:** He lives on the adjacent property. He met with the developers and is pleased with what they have agreed to change. He is waiting on the details to solidify what was discussed.

**Speaker #8:** Citizen **Name:** Karen Hevalingo

Address: 1809 E Millbrook Road

**Comments:** Lives near the Warner's (previous speaker). While she and her neighbors have met with the developers, she does not feel that all issues have been addressed, such as the impact on the creek. She recommends continuance.

Speaker #9: Citizen
Name: Chris Gamvroulas
Address: not given

**Comments:** He is neither for nor against the application. He met with the developers, builders and owners during a break from the commission meeting and they are willing to make compromises.

Speaker #10: Citizen Name: Nick Mingo Address: PO Box 522056

Comments: He reiterated recommendation for continuance. He would like to see an exception change to the flood

plain.

**Speaker #11:** Citizen **Name**: Richard Mingo

Address: 1809 E Millbrook Road

Comments: He is not satisfied. He has submitted written comments. He is not sure how the ¼ acre size lots are

determined.

**Speaker #12:** Citizen **Name:** Leslie Crandle

**Address:** 1844 Honeybrick Place

Comments: Lives to the South of the proposed development. She believes the home size is too large for the proposed lots. She feels the potential increase in traffic would be too high. Concerned about setback reports and

how they can be addressed.

**Speaker #13**: Citizen **Name**: Jeff Quinn

Address: 1839 Honeybrick Place

Comments: His property directly abuts the proposed property and he feels the PUD will increase the look of the

neighborhood.

**Speaker #14**: Citizen **Name**: Warren Nelson

Address: 1801 Countryside Drive

**Comments**: He lives near the proposed property and has lived there for 55 years. He feels that seven or eight homes is too many and is not in keeping with the look of the area and would be out of character. He feels strongly

that four homes would fit better.

**Speaker #16:** Applicants

Name: Steve Davies & Dale Bennett

Address: 1920 S 180 W, Orem, UT and 9130 S State Street, Sandy, UT respectively

**Comments**: They stand behind their product and feel it would be beneficial to the community.

#### PUBLIC PORTION OF APPLICATION CLOSED

Motion: To continue application #28368 until the July 10, 2013 meeting

Motion by: Commissioner Stephens 2<sup>nd</sup> by: Commissioner Riddle Vote: 4 for, 1 nay (Van Frank)

28468 Greg Larsen is requesting Conditional Use and Preliminary Plat approval for Millcreek Gardens PUD, a 32-lot PUD Subdivision for 16 two-family dwellings. Location: 4310, 4320 & 4324 South 500 East & 430 East Doreen Street. Zone: R-2-10. Community Council: Millcreek.

Planner: Spencer G. Sanders.

**Presentation by:** Spencer Sanders **Recommendation:** Approval - see Staff Report

Per Spencer Sanders, who was present at the Millcreek Community Council meeting, the council recommends approval.

## PUBLIC PORTION OF APPLICATION OPENED

**Speaker # 1:** Applicant **Name:** Greg Larsen

Address: 1042 Fort Union Blvd, #226

**Comments:** He discussed some of the recommendations provided in the staff report. Applicant is working with

adjacent property owner over the fence line.

Speaker # 2: Citizen Name: Russell Johnson Address: 4342 S 500 E

Comments: His property is adjoining the last unit on 500 E. He is concerned about property being rental units and

would like a brick wall separating properties.

**Speaker # 3:** Citizen **Name**: Joe Flack

Address: 447 Bridlewood Drive

Comments: He has lived in his home for over 40 years. He is concerned with privacy in his backyard because he

currently has a lot of trees in his yard and is concerned about the existing trees on the property.

Speaker # 4: Citizen Name: Trish Frost Address: 4316 S 420 E

Comments: She is neither for nor against the proposal. She is concerned about graffiti and the loss of sunlight into

her property.

#### PUBLIC PORTION OF APPLICATION CLOSED

**Motion:** Approve application #28468 subject to conditions 1-6 in the Staff Report.

**Motion by:** Commissioner Stephens **2<sup>nd</sup> by:** Commissioner Riddle

Vote: Unanimous (of commissioners present)

## **BUSINESS MEETING**

The Business Meeting will begin immediately following the Public Hearings.

# **Previous Meeting Minutes Review and Approval**

1) Approval of the April 10, 2013 and May 15, 2013 Minutes were continued until the next meeting.

# **ADJOURN**